

Remarks

Claims 1 and 13 are amended. Claims 1 to 9 and 13 to 16 are pending in this application of which only claims 1 and 13 are in independent form.

Applicants' attorney thanks Examiner Savage for the telephone interview held on August 4, 2003 at which time the Examiner proposed amendments which would patentably distinguish claims 1 and 13 over the art of record. These amendments were then set forth on pages 9 to 11 of the action and have now been approved by the applicants.

In view of the above, claims 1 and 13 are amended herein exactly as suggested by the Examiner on August 4th and in the action.

The applicants also appreciatively note the approval of FIGS. 6 and 7 and the formal drawings are submitted herewith under a separate transmittal letter and should be acceptable.

The application should now be in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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